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Parkway project not delayed, Combs says

Legislator: 'More realistic timeframe' established

by **Tony Fyffe**
BSN MANAGING EDITOR

FRANKFORT — An Eastern Kentucky legislator this week denied media reports that a proposal to widen and expand the Mountain Parkway would be delayed in the state road plan approved last week by the House, saying “nothing could be further from the truth.”

The House last Tuesday approved the two-year road plan and nearly \$5 billion to fund the proposed projects, which includes Gov. Steve Beshear's recommendation to widen and expand the Mountain Parkway, including four-

laning the road from Prestonsburg to Salyersville.

Some media outlets reported that the plan approved by the House would delay the project, but state Rep. Leslie Combs of Pikeville, chair of the House Transportation Budget Review Subcommittee, said that would not be the case.

“The reality is that the \$755 million project would move forward immediately under the House proposal; our approach just offers a more realistic timeframe than the six years that had been first discussed,” Combs said in a release Monday. “Additionally, if our plan

becomes law, tolls also would be unlikely, which would avoid a return to the days when everyone had to pay to enter and leave the region. That's not just a nuisance; it's a sizeable barrier for counties facing double-digit unemployment.”

Combs said that after reviewing Beshear's proposed highway plan, she

“discovered that the total amount of state-funded projects exceeded available funds by more than \$1 billion.”

“While some over-programming is appropriate because of various delays, the disadvantage of having too large of a gap is that it

makes it less likely projects will be completed as scheduled,” she said. “We in the House are trying to avoid that, so that communities can know when to realistically expect roadwork. No one is helped when needed improvements remain in limbo for years.”

Combs said the House revised the timeline for the Mountain Parkway project.

“We propose splitting it into nine phases, with three starting this budget cycle and the remainder coming through the early 2020s,” she said. “That would keep the expansion moving forward quickly while not delaying projects elsewhere in the state, which would likely occur if the timeline is not changed.”

Combs praised Beshear for making the

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Couple plead not guilty in bingo case

by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

INEZ — A Tomahawk couple charged in connection with diverting more than \$97,000 in charitable gaming funds pleaded not guilty during their arraignment in Martin Circuit Court last Thursday and are scheduled to appear for a pretrial conference April 17 at 11 a.m.

Public defender Steven Goble was appointed to represent the couple at court.

Robin Denise Spence, 47, and Charles Spence, 59, both of Tomahawk, are both charged with diversion of charitable gaming funds for financial benefit over \$300/complicity.

Robin Spence is additionally charged with seven counts of diversion of charitable gaming funds for financial Benefit over \$300 and theft by failure to make required disposition of property over \$10,000.

According to the indictments, from Jan. 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012, Robin Spence and Charles Spence, acting alone or in complicity with each other, allegedly knowingly and unlawfully diverted charitable gaming funds from legitimate charitable purposes or lawful expenses to their financial benefit or the financial benefit of another person for the amount of \$8,106, cashing those checks at numerous banks,

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EAGLES AT RUPP



JOHNSON CENTRAL FANS invaded Rupp Arena in Lexington last week to support the Golden Eagles in the boys' Sweet 16 basketball tournament. The Eagles won their first game against Campbell County but fell to Scott County Friday. Stories on page B1. *Photo/Todd Conley*

Regional officials learn how to apply for AEP funding

by **Lilly Adkins**

Associate Editor

LOUISA — Kentucky Power representatives held a meeting in Louisa Monday to discuss how various entities could apply for grant money the company agreed to provide to the region when it accepted the Public Service Commission's proposal involving the purchase of the Mitchell Plant to replace the Big Sandy Plant in Louisa when it retires in 2015.

Kentucky Power noted in a press release following the settlement that the agreement includes eco-

nomc development and job-training support for Lawrence County, where the Big Sandy Plant is located, and surrounding counties totaling \$233,000 per year for five years. The agreement also includes an increase of its Home Energy Assistance (HEAP) contribution by 20 percent and funding for energy management programs for schools, which cannot be recovered from taxpayers.

AEP Kentucky Power economic and business development external affairs manager Brad Hall explained the process of applying for money and

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Hammer beating case heads true bills

by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — The Johnson County Grand Jury issued seven indictments March 19, including one for a man who allegedly assaulted a woman with a hammer.

Donney W. Greathouse II, 24, of West Van Lear, is charged with second-degree assault, domestic violence.

According to the indictment, on or before Dec. 17, 2013, Greathouse allegedly intentionally caused physical injury to Cynthia Greathouse with a metal hammer.

Others named in true bills were:

- Johnny Marcum, 43, of Groveport, Ohio, charged with theft by deception (cold checks) under \$10,000.

According to the indictment, on Oct. 21, 2013, Marcum allegedly knowingly and unlawfully engaged in a course of conduct that deprived and defrauded Surplus Products (Allen Horne) of East Point of \$594 by issuing a check for that amount without the proper funds in the account to make the payment to Surplus Products for that amount.

- Christopher Kestner, of East Point, charged with first-degree bailjumping and first-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on

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Members named to SOAR executive committee

BSN Staff Report

HAZARD — A 15-member committee has been formed to oversee the Shaping Our Appalachian Region (SOAR) initiative.

Gov. Steve Beshear and U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers, who announced the SOAR executive committee Monday, will serve as co-chairs of the group.

Other committee members include Jim Booth of Inez, CEO of Booth Energy; Bruce Ayers of Cumberland, president emeritus of South-

east Community and Technical College; Jean Hale of Pikeville, chair, president and CEO of Community Trust Bank; Rodney Hitch of Winchester, economic development manager for East Kentucky Power; Jim Host of Lexington; Tom Hunter of Washington, D.C., retired executive director of the Appalachian Regional Commission; Kim McCann of Ashland, partner/attorney with VanAntwerp, Monge, Jones, Edwards & McCann; Hayley McCoy of Jackson, economic development advocate with Jackson Energy; and Bob Mitchell of Corbin, a member

of the board of directors for The Center for Rural Development and retired chief of staff for Rogers.

In addition, House Speaker Greg Stumbo, Senate President Robert Stivers, Bell County Judge-Executive Albey Brock, and Magoffin County Judge-Executive Charles “Doc” Hardin will serve as ex officio members, representing state and local government.

The executive committee held its first meeting Monday in Hazard. The group developed a nine-month action plan to guide them as the initiative seeks continued conversa-

tions and deeper outreach throughout Kentucky's Appalachian counties, which will culminate in a second regional summit in late fall 2014.

The executive committee will oversee design, execution, and funding of SOAR activities and will conduct a search for a permanent executive director.

“The Congressman and I spent several weeks reviewing the SOAR report from that incredibly produc-

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AEP: Meeting held to discuss new grant program

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what types of requests would be considered.

Several county and city representatives were present for the meeting, including the judge-executives of Lawrence, Carter and Elliott counties as well as the mayors of Olive Hill and Paintsville. Representatives from the FIV-CO, Big Sandy and Gateway area development districts were also present as well as other county leaders and business leaders from throughout the region. A Lawrence County High School teacher also brought several students who are members of the Junior Rotarians.

Grants will be awarded by May 31, according to information provided at the meeting, and the deadline for submitting an application is April 30 by 5 p.m.

Only non-profit entities can apply for the funding, and up to \$200,000 will be granted in 2014 toward the combined eligible projects.

Grants will be awarded at the discretion of AEP Kentucky Power Economic and Business Development until funds have been exhausted.

Hall said that the grants must be used for programs or projects such as retention and expansion surveys, wage and benefit surveys, retaining existing industries, attracting new industries, conducting special studies and research

projects or other creative ideas.

Kentucky Power President and CEO Greg Pauley said the \$200,000 per year is shared “with Lawrence County and contiguous counties for economic development,” Pauley said.

“This is not money that will be recovered,” he said. “We’re investing in Eastern Kentucky and we’ll always be invested. We have developed a process to distribute the money that is unbiased. There will be a committee every year doing the same thing and it may be that you choose to do a multi-year project. We are trying to help with economic development in the community. We need to get the areas ready for economic development. You’re not competing just with the surrounding counties, but the whole country. Ask for what you want to ask for. The committee will make their recommendation to me. I am excited about working with you. I have to do a report at the end of the year about the money that is being disbursed. We want to make sure we improve our economic development existence and we’re going to survive if we work together. It’s not county against county, but Kentucky against the world.”

Hall said there is no reason that East Kentucky can’t compete on the national level.

“We don’t market well,” Hall said. “No money was

ever appropriated for marketing, and our property has challenges with the water and sewer. What the community can do is prepare for economic development. If we can work together, we can compete. It’s the regional approach. We have the second lowest power rates in the nation. We should be investing in property to have it available for sale. You got to have inventory.”

Hall said that anyone applying for the grant money had to fill out their application correctly and to ensure it is complete before they send it out, otherwise the application could be discarded.

Hall also said the applications “must be through a non-profit entity,” and when applying they must sell why their project is better than any other.

The money received from the grants must be used for what they said it would be used for and they must also have an itemized list.

“If the application doesn’t meet the guidelines, you run the risk of it being discarded,” Hall said. “The organizations are required to formally present the project to the committee both orally and with a written presentation. There will be five people listening to the presentation and reviewing the application and the winner must update the committee on their project every four months.



THE MARTIN COUNTY Ministerial Association invites everyone to attend the Martin County March Against Drugs event scheduled for Sunday, March 30, at 3 p.m., with the staging beginning at 2 p.m. and the march at 3 p.m. The march route will be from Sheldon Clark High School to the Martin County Courthouse, where there will be a brief rally before marching back to the school.

PARKWAY: Project not delayed, Eastern Kentucky lawmaker says

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biggest accomplishments this decade.”

“We just want to make sure it is done the right way,” she said.

Beshear proposed the project in January. His proposal included a series of projects, totaling \$753.6 million, by which the Mountain Parkway would be widened and modernized by 2020.

Beshear proposed to four lane a 29.8-mile section that runs through Wolfe, Morgan and Magoffin counties.

The plan would then extend the parkway from Salyersville to Prestonsburg by four-laning 16.2 miles of two connecting routes — U.S. 460 and Ky. 114. At Prestonsburg, the new parkway would connect with four-lane U.S. 23 — creating a modern, four-lane corridor all the way from I-64 near Winchester to Pikeville.

BINGO: Not-guilty pleas entered

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stores and other bingo gaming session and treating the money for those checks as her own.

According to the indictment, from Jan. 1, 2011, through March 31, 2011, Robin Spence allegedly diverted charitable gaming funds from legitimate charitable purposes or lawful expenses allowed under this chapter to her financial benefit or the financial benefit of another person for the amount of \$4,999.41; from April 1, 2011, through June 30, 2011, in the amount

of \$17,514.63; from July 1, 2011, through Sept. 31, 2011, in the amount of \$16,599.66; from Oct. 1, 2011, through Dec. 31, 2011, in the amount of \$15,299.64; from Jan. 1, 2012, through March 31, 2012, in the amount of \$1,021; and from April 1, 2012, through June 30, 2012, in the amount of \$6,258.

The indictment says that from Jan. 1, 2011, through June 30, 2012, Robin Spence allegedly knowingly and unlawfully diverted charitable gaming funds from legitimate charitable purposes or lawful expenses to her financial benefit or the financial benefit of another person for the amount of \$4,451, by falsely reporting fraudulent ending inventory numbers for pull tab sales.

From March 10, 2011 through Dec. 30, 2011, the indictment alleges, Robin Spence allegedly knowingly and unlawfully, failed to make required payments or disposition to the Martin County Fair Board account and failed to make payments to Redbow Inc., the Martin County Fair Board and the Kentucky state treasurer in the amount of \$23,664.65.



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SOAR: Executive board formed for regional initiative

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SOAR summit in December, and then we turned to look for the people to carry out this work – community leaders with the proven tenacity, organizational skills and commitment to devote time and resources to these tasks,” said Beshear. “We are excited about the ambitious action plan to encourage further and even more intensive conversation on critical topics. We are asking a great deal of these leaders, and in turn, we are also asking the citizens of eastern Kentucky to stay engaged and energized, because our collective work is still in its early stages.”

Rogers said that with the loss of nearly 2,300 more coal-mining jobs in Eastern Kentucky, “the urgency for action has never been greater.”

“We vowed to plan our work and work our plan, and the executive committee members are taking on the monumental task of leading the way through uncharted waters,” Rogers said. “The SOAR Summit generated tremendous content, and we need folks from every corner of the state to remain committed to the cause.”

The committee’s nine-month action plan calls for large-scale outreach to Eastern Kentucky businesses, local governments, organizations, and citizens this summer through “listening sessions” to be held throughout the region. These sessions will produce detailed strategies for moving the region forward that will become part of a SOAR program of work to be presented at a regional summit in November.

Chuck Fluharty, president and CEO of the Rural Policy Research Institute, will serve as interim executive director of the SOAR initiative until a permanent executive director is named. Fluharty provided assistance to the SOAR Summit planning committee in designing the December

2013 event and has continued to work with Beshear and Rogers in planning follow-up strategies.

The executive committee will provide interim governance for the initiative until a permanent structure is established. Donovan Blackburn, Pikeville’s city manager, will serve as managing director. A SOAR office has also been established in Pikeville.

Ten working groups will be responsible for leading discussions throughout the region on topics related to Eastern Kentucky’s future economic well-being and quality of life. Based on citizen and organizational input, the groups will identify significant opportunities and a long-term vision related to their topics.

The working groups’ focus areas and chairs include:

- Agriculture/Community/Regional Foods: Daniel Wilson, Wolfe County extension agent for agriculture and natural resources.
- Broadband: Lonnie Lawson, Somerset, president and CEO, The Center for Rural Development.
- Business Recruitment: Greg Jones, Somerset, special project director, Southeast Kentucky Economic Development Corp.
- Business Incubation: Jared Arnett, Pikeville, president and CEO, Southeast Kentucky Chamber of Com-

merce.

• Education and Retraining: Jeff Whitehead, Hazard, executive director of the Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program.

• Health: Dr. Nikki Stone, Hazard, dental director/faculty, UK June Buchanan Clinic.

• Infrastructure: Jack Sykes, Pikeville, chairman of the board, Summit Engineering.

• Leadership Development and Youth Engagement: Jonathan Gay, Morehead, executive director of Morehead State University Innovation and Commercialization Center.

• Regional Collaboration and Identity: Sandy Runyon, Prestonsburg, executive director of the Big Sandy Area Development District.

• Tourism, including Natural Resources, Arts & Heritage: Phil Osborne, Lexington, president of Osborne and Associates.

Membership of the working groups is open to anyone interested in participating; contact the SOAR office at 606-444-5127 or 606-437-5127 for more information.

Along with the executive committee and working groups, two other committees will be appointed to oversee fund development and to plan a “Futures Forum” that will be a central component of future efforts to improve the region.

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Paintsville Elementary wins Region 34 competition

PAINTSVILLE — The Paintsville Elementary Academic Tigers won the Region 34 academic competition Saturday, March 22, hosted by Fallsburg Elementary in Lawrence County.

The PES team finished the day in first place overall, as well as in various individual assessments. The quick recall starters, comprised of three fourth graders and fifth grade captain Maddie Webb held the Highland Wildcats to three points as time expired in the final round.

KAAC Region 34 includes Blaine Elementary School, Central Elementary School, Eden Elementary School, Fallsburg Elementary School, Flat Gap Elementary, Highland Elementary, Inez Ele-

mentary School, Louisa East Elementary School, Meade Memorial Elementary, Paintsville Elementary School, Porter Elementary, Salyersville Grade School (EL), W.R. Castle Memorial Elementary School, Warfield Elementary School.

“This has been such an exciting year for us,” coach Renae Plaxico said. “This team is young, but they have been one of the most enthusiastic group of kids I have coached in a long time. I am so proud of their accomplishments! I would also like to thank all the content coaches, teachers at PES, parents, and Jayme Runyon, who has helped make this championship possible.”

Results for Paintsville

were:

- Math: Jonah Porter, first place.
- Science: Ashton Miller, fourth place.
- Social Studies: Maddie Webb and Srikar Ketharaju, tied for third place.
- Language Arts: Lauren Patton, first place.
- Arts and Humanities: Lauren Patton, first place.
- Composition: Allie Butcher, second place, and Tess Sergeant, fourth place.
- Future Problem Solving Team: Third place. Team members are Whitney Griffith, Eve Lewandoski, Ann Carolyn Baldwin and Taylor Hannah.
- Quick Recall Team: Second Place. Team members are Harris Phelps, (4th), Jonah Porter, Lauren Patton and captain Maddie Webb.



MEMBERS OF THE Paintsville Elementary academic team are, front row: Eve Lewandoski, Whitney Griffith, Alexis Hayden, Lauren Patton, Allie Butcher, Maddie Webb, Srikar Ketharaju, Andrew Martin and Dylan Pugh. Back row: Aaron Baker, Hailey Tackett, Ashton Miller, Jonah Porter and Harris Phelps. Not pictured: Ashton Adams, Adaline Doderer and Tess Sergeant.

Auditions scheduled for ‘Road to Fame’ contest

Over the upcoming months, hundreds of contestants will showcase their talent in closed auditions for the opening of the Country Music Highway “Road to Fame” in Eastern Kentucky.

The ‘Road to Fame’ talent search is looking for the next potential star to come from Kentucky’s famed Country Music Highway, an area with a vast musical heritage and home to many country stars for decades.

During the April auditions, ‘Road to Fame’ judges will choose 80 talented contestants to continue their journey and advance to one of four qualification rounds, to be judged by a panel of independent music industry experts, held May 17, 18, 31 and June 1, with site locations to be provided later.

Auditions dates are Saturday, April 5, at 11 a.m. at Fan-nin Motors in Ashland; Sunday, April 6, at 2 p.m. at Jenny Wiley State Park in Prestonsburg; Saturday, April 12 at 11 a.m. at New Hilton Garden Inn in Pikeville; and Sunday, April 13, at 3 p.m. at Hampton Inn in Hazard.

“We are excited to kick off another year with the 2014 Road to Fame competition,”

said Bernard Porter, president of PCG Nashville. “It’s great to see the advancement and achievements of some of the former contestants. This year we will be kicking off PCG workshops to better prepare our RTF finalists. East Kentucky is a hotbed of extreme talent and we are glad to play a role in helping artists work towards their goals and dreams.”

The winner, who will receive a very attractive Grand Prize Package, as well as the top 10 finalists will act as ambassadors representing the Country Music Highway at various events throughout the year and will help promote the 2014 ‘Road to Fame’ talent search.

For more information on this event, visit roadtofamecmh.com, the CMHRoadToFame Facebook page, or contact Terry Trimble at either 606-886-2374 or terry.trimble@bigsandy.org.

CHARGES: Indictments issued

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or before March 7, Kestner allegedly knowingly and unlawfully, after having been released from custody by the court upon the condition that he will appear at a specified time and place in connection with a felony indictment, he intentionally failed to appear as ordered by the court for report date at the Johnson County Circuit Courthouse. He is also a previously convicted felon, according to the indictment.

• Alan S. Reed, 39, of Lowmansville, charged with flagrant non-support.

According to the indictment, on or before July 1, 2012 through Feb. 28, Reed allegedly failed to pay child support to Melissa Reed as court ordered with a total amount exceeding \$3,224.

• Mykel Reynolds, 23, of Pikeville, charged with third-degree burglary/complicity, receiving stolen property under \$10,000/complicity, speeding 10 miles per hour over the limit, reckless driving and failure to or improper signal.

According to the indictment, on or about Dec. 8, 2013, Reynolds, allegedly acting alone or in complicity with Jared Bartley, knowingly and unlawfully entered and remained in a building owned and operated by the Johnson County Board of Education with the intent to commit the crime of theft. He also was in possession of three Apple iMac desktop computers and a Dell Latitude computer stolen from Flat Gap Elementary with a value of the items \$5,537, the indictment said.

Reynolds also allegedly

operated a motor vehicle 10 miles per hour over the posted speed limit, in a careless and reckless manner on a public roadway and operated a motor vehicle without properly signaling to turn as defined by KRS 189.380.

• Zachary Jude, 28, of Sitka, charged with first-degree bailjumping and second-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or before Feb. 21, Jude allegedly knowingly and unlawfully, after having been released from custody by the court upon the condition that he will subsequently appear at a specified time and place in connection with a felony indictment, he intentionally failed to appear as ordered by the court for report date at the Johnson County Circuit Courthouse.

He was also a previously convicted felon, according to the indictment.

• Rexford Tyler Music, 26, of Paintsville, charged with first-degree burglary and second-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or before Mar. 7, Music allegedly knowingly and unlawfully entered the dwelling house of Christopher and Clesta Jackson of Nippa with the intent to commit the crime of theft while armed with a rifle, a shotgun and a screwdriver. He also is also a previously convicted felon.

Editor’s note: An indictment is not an indication of guilt but a determination by a grand jury that criminal charges warrant further judicial review.

Floyd sheriff’s audit report is released

by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

FRANKFORT —State Auditor Adam Edelen last week released the audit of Floyd County Sheriff John K. Blackburn’s 2012 settlement and unmined coal taxes.

The audit found that the sheriff’s financial statement for the 2012 settlement fairly presents the taxes charged, credited and paid for April 17, 2012, through April 15, 2013, in conformity with the modified cash basis of accounting.

The second audit found the financial statement for 2012 unmined coal taxes fairly presents the taxes charged, credited and paid for August 16, 2012, through August 15, 2013, in conformity with the modified cash basis of accounting.

The auditor noted no instances of noncompliance in either audit. The auditor also noted no matters involving internal control over financial reporting and its operation that were considered to be material weaknesses in either audit.

The sheriff’s responsibilities include collecting property taxes, providing law enforcement and performing services for the county fiscal court and courts of justice. The sheriff’s office is funded through statutory commissions and fees collected in conjunction with these duties.

State law requires the auditor to annually audit the accounts of each county sheriff. In compliance with this law, the auditor issues two sheriff’s reports each year: one reporting on the audit of the sheriff’s tax account and the other reporting on the audit of the fee account used to operate the office.

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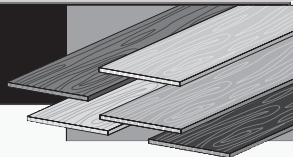
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Malcolm Blackburn 1936-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Malcolm Blackburn, 67, of Louisa, formerly of Martin County, died Monday, March 24, at Cabell Huntington Hospital, Huntington, W.Va. Born Sept. 13, 1936, in Martin County, he was the son of the late Foch and Dixie McGinnis Blackburn.

Survivors include two daughters, Sonja Blackburn and Stephanie Blackburn, both of Inez; a brother, J.D. Blackburn of Lexington; and three sisters, Lucy Runion and Egie Blackburn, both of Louisa, and Vernon Dahle of Colorado.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Thursday, March 27, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Blackburn Family Cemetery, Louisa. Visitation will be 5-9 p.m., today, Wednesday, March 26, at the funeral home, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

Anna Ruth Jones 1935-2014

FAYETTE COUNTY — Anna Ruth Jones, 78, of Lexington, formerly of Paintsville, died Wednesday, March 19, at her residence.

Born July 24, 1935, she was the daughter of the late William and Wanda Carroll Tipton. She was retired from Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center, a past president of United Steel Workers Union Local 9120 and a member of East End Church of Christ, Lexington.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Aletha; and a brother, James Paul Tipton.

Survivors include two daughters, Monica Estep and Bobbie Kaye Kelly, both of Lexington.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 23, at Milward Funeral Home, Lexington.

Wilson Eugene “Gene” Cantrell 1941-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Wilson Eugene “Gene” Cantrell, 73, of Staffordsville, died Monday, March 17, at St. Mary’s Medical Center, Huntington, W.Va.

Born Feb. 15, 1941, in Johnson County, he was the son of the late Charlie Wilson and Flora Blanton Cantrell. He was a retired coal miner.

Survivors include his wife, Rita Carroll Salyer Cantrell; two sons, James Harold Cantrell of Paintsville and Michael Douglas Cantrell of Staffordsville; three daughters, Gena Carol VanHoose of Tutor Key, Chrystal Gayle Jaynes of Thelma and Amanda Marie Baldridge of Staffordsville; three brothers, Glen Douglas Cantrell of Nippa, Danny Joe Cantrell of Paintsville and Jerry Lynn Cantrell of Middlesboro; four sisters, Carolyn Sue Borders of Kingman, Ariz., Anna Lou Salyers of Nippa, Margaret Ellen Copley of Salyersville and Cathy L. Cook of Battlecreek, Mich.; 10 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Friday, March 21, at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Ralph Cordle and Jeff Baldridge officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Maxine Smith 1924-2014

WEST VIRGINIA — Maxine Smith, 90, of Fort Gay, went home Sunday afternoon, March 24, at the home of her sister, Gladys Dean, where she resided for the last two years.

She was born Feb. 22, 1924, the daughter of the late Albert and Nona Bartram McCloud. She worked at Wright Patterson Air Force Base, retiring after 36 years of service.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Arthur L. Smith; and

Darvin Kennis Spears 1946-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Darvin Keenis Spears, 67, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, March 17, at his residence.

Born Sept. 15, 1946, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Willie Otto Elmer and Cladie Goble Spears. He was a general laborer and attended Cow Creek Freewill Baptist Church.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Eugene Spears.

Survivors include his wife, Norma A. Woods Spears, a son, Kevin Shawn Spears of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Deanna Shonnelle Greer of Allen; three brothers, Jack Spears and Herbert “Hub” Spears, both of Prestonsburg, and Johnny Spears of Martin; two sisters, Ollie Jean Calhoun and Dorothy Lafferty, both of Prestonsburg; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, March 20, at Cow Creek Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, with Nathan Lafferty, Bill Collins, and William Jarrell officiating. Burial was in Spears Cemetery, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Betty Jene Blair May 1930-2014

OHIO — Betty Jene Blair May, 83, of Urbana, Ohio, died Tuesday, March 11, at her residence.

Born June 19, 1930, at Paintsville, she was the daughter of the late Curtis and Dixie Blair. She was a member of Faith Fellowship Church and a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Patty; and a brother, Burnett Blair.

Survivors include her husband, Hager W. May; three daughters, Lois Horsley, Fran Cohn and Judy Barger, all of Urbana; three sisters, Irene LeMaster and Sue McLaughlin, both of Urbana, and Janet Jones of Cable, Ohio; two brothers, Jess Blair of Springfield, Ohio, and Samuel Blair of Urbana; five grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

James Francis Blair 1929-2014

OHIO — James Francis Blair, 84, of Lucasville, died Friday, March 14.

Born May 16, 1929, at Barnett’s Creek, he was the son of the late Lacy and Lelia Baldwin Blair. He was an ordained minister and a U. S. Army veteran.

He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Basil Blair and Tilmon Blair; and a sister, Naomi Burchett.

Survivors include his wife, Faye LeMaster Blair; two daughters, Donna Bragdon and Debra Gray, both of Lucasville; a son, David Blair of New Boston, Ohio; two sisters, Viola Jones and Maola Burchett; a brother, Norman Blair; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 18, at Big Run United Baptist Church, Lucasville. Burial was in Sunset Memorial Garden, Franklin Furnace, Ohio, under direction of Erwin-

a brother, Kenneth McCloud.

Survivors include her sister, Gladys Dean of Fort Gay; a brother, Kelsie A. McCloud, of Fort Gay; and a host of nieces and nephews and friends.

Graveside funeral services will be 1 p.m., Thursday, March 27, at Dayton Memorial Park, Dayton, Ohio. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to Hospice of Huntington.

Visitation will be 6-8 p.m., today, Wednesday, March 26, at the funeral home, under direction of Young Funeral Home Inc., Louisa.

Dodson-Allen Funeral Home, Minford, Ohio.

Allene Pack 1929-2014

OHIO — Allene Pack, 84, of Vaughnsville, Ohio, died Friday, March 7, at St. Rita’s Center, Lima, Ohio.

Born July 8, 1929, at Auxier, she was the daughter of late Clyde and Rebecca Adkins Tackett. She was a homemaker and member of the Cridersville Independent Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Herbert Pack Jr.; a daughter, Becky Pack; four brothers, William E., Clyde “June” Jr., and Thomas Ray Tackett; and two sisters, Mary Magdaline Tackett and Lorraine Reese.

Survivors include two sons, Larry Pack of Kentucky and Mark Pack of Columbus Grove, Ohio; two daughters, Cherie Bryant of Kansas and Kim Dray of Texas; and a sister, Elcine Hall of Lima.

Funeral services were Monday, March 10, at Hartman Sons Funeral Home, Columbus Grove, with Brandon Wireman officiating, under direction of Hartman Sons Funeral Home, Columbus Grove.

Jay Newsome 1924-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Jay Newsome, 89, of Debord, died Thursday, March 20, at his residence.

Born Aug. 30, 1924, in Martin County, he was the son of the late Brose and Liza Ward Newsome. He was a U.S. Navy veteran.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Alice Delong Newsome; two children, George Newsome and Charlene Zody; seven grandchildren, Pauline Newsome, Ashley Hinkle, Leighann Barnes, James Nile Newsome, Travis Carter, Sherman Jay Newsome and Florence Porter; five brothers, Hank, Jim, Marvin, Hobert and Brose Jr.; and three sisters, Annette, Louise and Grette.

Survivors include 16 children, Tackett Newsome, Roger Dale Newsome, Bernita Gail Newsome, Rosalene Rose, Shirley Jay Newsome, James Ronnie Newsome, Robert Newsome, Daisy Hinkle, Minzie Stanley, Michale Newsome, Albert Newsome, Betsy Blackburn, Brenda Horn, Barbara Stump, Glenda Fay Jones, and Glen Newsome; a brother, Sylvester Newsome; four sisters, Shelby Jean, Olive, Mary and Kathlene; and several grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services with military rites were Sunday, March 23, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home. Burial was in Newsome Family Cemetery, Debord, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

Peggy Ward Miller 1970-2014

WEST VIRGINIA — Peggy Ward Miller, 43, of Kermit, W.Va., died Thursday, March 21, at Cabell Huntington Hospital, Hun-

tington, W.Va.

Born Sept. 6, 1970, in West Virginia, she was the daughter of the late Lloyd and Sally Kirk Ward. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include a daughter, Sally Bartram of Dunlow, W.Va.; two sons, Justin Porter of Fort Gay, W.Va., and Joseph Muller of Wardsville, W.Va.; two brothers, Tom Ward of Dunlow and Luck Ward of Warfield; two sisters, Ora Hunley of Fort Gay and Sadie Perry of Warfield; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 23, at Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home. Burial was in Ward Cemetery, Marrowbone, W.Va, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

Garry Lynn Fitzpatrick 1955-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Garry Lynn Fitzpatrick 58, of River, died Sunday, March 23, at his residence.

Born Oct. 21, 1955, at Paintsville, he was the son of the late Ralph and Della Smith Fitzpatrick. He was a singer with Providence.

He was also preceded in death by five siblings, Phyllis Howard, Forrest Fitzpatrick, Mack Fitzpatrick, Larry Glenn Fitzpatrick and Flora Fitzpatrick.

Survivors include his wife, Tracy Lynn Fitzpatrick; two sons, Joseph Fitzpatrick of Lexington and Kyle Tackett of Flat Gap; two daughters, Amanda McGinnis and Sarah Burkett, both of Lexington; two brothers, Ernie Fitzpatrick of Kenova, W.Va., and Paul Fitzpatrick of Cottageville, W.Va.; a sister, Sandy Ferrin of Lexington; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 25, at Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home. Burial was in Fitzpatrick Family Cemetery, Tomahawk, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

Wanda L. Salmons Copley 1936-2014

WEST VIRGINIA — Wanda L. Salmons Copley, 77, of Crum, W.Va., died Saturday, March 22, at her residence.

Born Dec. 18, 1936, in Wayne County, W.Va., she was the daughter of the late Jess and Elsie Brumfield Salmons.

She was also preceded in death by three children, Connie Copley, Luther Dale Copley and William Walter Copley; and two brothers, Ray Salmons and Russell Salmons.

Survivors include her husband, William J. “Bill” Copley; three daughters, Carol Sue Sewell of Indiana, Joyce Wiseman and Barbara Sanders, all of Michigan; two sons, Boyd J. Copley of Ulysses and Robert K. “Kenny” Copley of Crum; three sisters, Freda, Geraldine and Francis Marie; a brother, Ralph Salmons; 16 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 25, at Webb Freewill Baptist Church, with Andy Lovins officiating. Burial was in

Copley Family Cemetery, Camp Creek, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

Harmon M. Griffith 1930-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Harmon M. Griffith, 83, of Blaine, died Wednesday, March 19, at his residence.

Born April 29, 1930, at Cordell, he was the son of the late Charles James and Nannie Mae Cordle Griffith.

He was a retired farmer/timberman.

He was also preceded in death by a son, Forest Allen Griffith; a daughter, Dixie Mae Stambaugh; and a granddaughter.

Survivors include his wife, Jessie Barker Griffith; a daughter, Mollie Hackney of Sitka; three sons, Charles E. Griffith of Blaine, Randall Lee Griffith of Grayson and William Dexter Griffith of Webbville; 17 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; and seven great-

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Debra Arlene Young 1958-2014



LAWRENCE COUNTY — Debra Arlene Young, 56, of Webbville, passed away Sunday, March 23, at her residence.

She was born January 21, 1958 in Louisa, the daughter of the late Cornell and Mary Gussler Salyer. She was an assistant Physical Therapist and she was a member of Webb Chapel Church.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Darrell Salyer.

Survivors include her loving husband, Mitchell Young of Webbville; two sons, Clinton Cornell “Kelly” Young of Webbville and Michael Earl “Robyn” Young of Grayson; two grandchildren, Mason Michell Young and Parker Riley Young; five sisters, Pat Peters and Christy Vanhorn, both of Louisa, Shirley Hogston of Webbville, Carol Borders of Ulysses and Barbara Sparks of Martha; and

four brothers, Dwight Salyer and Dale Salyer, both of Louisa, George Salyer of Webbville and Tony Salyer of Fallsburg.

Visitation will be 6-9 p.m., today, Wednesday, March 26, at the funeral home.

Funeral services will be noon, Thursday, March 27, at Young Funeral Home Chapel, with Mike Roberts, David Boggs, Ralph Hogston and Taylor Hylton officiating. Burial will follow in Young Family Cemetery, Webbville, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Inc., Louisa.

Dorothy Copley



WEST VIRGINIA — Dorothy Copley, 81, of Fort Gay, entered the gates of her heavenly home on Friday, March 21.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her husband, Birdie Copley; parents, Jay and Maggie Waller Williamson; a daughter and son-in-law, Maggie and Arvel Endicott; two sisters, Goldie Walker and Oretha Marcum; and three brothers, Lacy, Jennings and Wayne Williamson.

Loved ones left behind are two daughters and caregivers, Patty and Buck Spears of Fort Gay, Gracie and (Will) Collins Parsley of Kermit, W.Va.; two sons, Grover and Sara Copley of Fort Gay and Jennings and Sara Copley of Crum, W.Va.; 10 grandchildren, caregiver Lisa Methax, Renae Blackburn, Katie Copley, Tracy Copley, Robbie Spears, Lacy Spears, Shawn Copley, Birdie Dale Collins, Jen Allen Copley and Jacob Copley; five great-grandchildren, Mackenzie Methax, Joshua Methax, Lea Blackburn, Cole Blackburn and Shelby Pack; three brothers, Lelon and Louise Williamson of Crum, Gid and Martha Williamson of Grove City, Ohio, and Grover and Kathy Williamson of Naples, Fla.; two brothers-in-law, Oscar and Martha Copley of Crum

and Sonny and Barbara Copley of Fort Gay; two sister-in-laws, Bertha Stroud and Rosie Brewer, both of Kermit; a very special friend, Pastor Dick Maynard; several nieces and nephews whom she loved very much, and her friends.

Dorothy was a member of the Saltpetre Christian Baptist Church and was owner and operator of Copley’s Truck Stop for many years. Dorothy will be missed very badly by her children, grandchildren and other family members.

The family wishes to thank everyone for the prayers most of all, the food, flowers, comforting words and the visits from everyone.

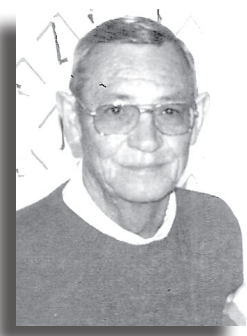
Funeral services were 11 a.m., Monday, March 24, at Saltpetre Christian Baptist Church with Pastor Richard Maynard officiating. Burial was in Birdie Copley Cemetery, Fort Gay, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Inc., Louisa.

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To walk with me throughout my life,
Until I see you again.

—Unknown

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Brenda

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great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 21, at Wilson Funeral Home, with Roger Ross and Ralph Cordle officiating. Burial was in Griffith Cemetery, Blaine, under direction of Wilson Funeral Home, Louisa.

Jessie Maynard Jr. 1927-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Jessie Maynard Jr. 87, of Inez, died Saturday, March 22, at his residence.

Born July 29, 1927, in Martin County, he was the son of the late Jessie and Ethel Muncy Maynard.

He was also preceded in death by two children, Joann Maynard and Rodney Maynard; and two grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife, Ava Preece Maynard, five sons, Kennis Maynard, James Maynard and Terry Maynard, all of Inez, Tommy Maynard and Roger Maynard, both of Beauty; three brothers, Benny Maynard of Beauty, Lewis "Cotton" Maynard of Inez and Danny Maynard of Lexington; 11 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, Marcy 25, at Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home, with Larry Bayes officiating. Burial was in Maynard Family Cemetery, under direction of Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home, Inez.

Eugene Tackett 1929-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Eugene Tackett, 84, of West Van Lear, died Friday, March 21.

Born Dec. 21, 1929, in Pike County, he was the son of the late Ervin and Hattie Tackett.

Survivors include two sons, Charles Tackett of Ashland and Phillip Tackett of Greenup; four daughters, Pat Walton of Russell, Iva Mills of Georgetown, Connie Collins of Pomeroy, Ohio, and Tammy Crisp of Franklin Furnace, Ohio; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

A private graveside service was held at Tackett Family Cemetery, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Myrtle Conn Akers 1925-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Myrtle Conn Akers, 88, of Dana, died Sunday, March 23, at her residence.

Born Oct. 12, 1925, at Dana, she was the daughter of the late Charlie Lee and Mayte Boyd Conn. She was a member of the Betsy Layne Freewill Baptist Church and retired from Irving Air Shoot Company.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Simon Akers.

Survivors include three sons, Dwight Akers and Bobby Curtis Akers, both of Dana, and Eddie Vaughn Akers of Columbus, Ga.; a daughter, Phyllis Ann Adkins of Ft. Worth, Texas; a sister, June Akers of Vermillion, Ohio; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 26, at Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Barry Clark, and Tracy Patton officiating. Burial will be in Akers Family Cemetery, Dana, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Alberta Shelton Shannon 1931-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Alberta Shelton Shannon, 82, of Drift, died Sunday, March 23, at her residence.

Born Dec. 13, 1931, at Drift, she was the daughter of the late Eddie and Lillie Lafferty Shelton. She was a member of Drift Pentecostal Church and a retired nurse's aide.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Cecil Shelton.

Survivors include her husband, Teddy J. Shannon; two daughters, Kathy JoAnn Stumbo and Peggy Pack, both of Drift; four brothers, Ted Shelton and Clark Shelton, both of

McDowell, Bobby Shelton of Elkhart, Ind., and Pat Shelton of Versailles; six sisters, Georgia Kidd, Teresa Harris and Diane Price, all of Drift, Bernadine Schrapper of Prestonsburg, Emogene Jones and Mary Combs, both of McDowell; five grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 26, at Drift Pentecostal Church, with Eugene Haney officiating. Burial will be in Drift Cemetery, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Kimberly Nicole Stacy 1991-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Kimberly Nicole Stacy, 22, of Inez, died Monday, March 24, at her residence.

Born July 25, 1991, at Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of Ben and Barbara Reed Stacy.

Additional survivors include two sisters, Judy Jayne of Hager Hill and Gladys Maynard of Inez.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 26, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home Chapel, with Lonnie Ratliff and Dennis Hughes officiating. Burial will be in Stacy Family Cemetery, Inez, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

Imogene Little 1937-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Imogene Little, 76, of Langley, died Wednesday, March 19, at Rockcastle Regional Hospital, Mt. Vernon.

Born Aug. 9, 1937, in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late German and Lillie Hamilton Meade. She was a homemaker and member of the Rock Fork Old Regular Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Burnis Meade; a sister, Olive Hall; and five infants.

Survivors include a son, Bruce Little of Langley; and two sisters, Gertrude Hamilton of Columbus, Ohio, and

Linda Lou Kidd of Teaberry.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 23, at Providence Old Regular Baptist Church, Topmost, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in Joe Hall Cemetery, Topmost, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Dorothy Jane Sammons 1930-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Dorothy Jane Sammons, 84, of Inez, died Sunday, March 23, at her residence.

Born Jan. 31, 1930, in Martin County, she was the daughter of the late John C. and Wilda Crum Testerman. She was a member of the Big Elk Freewill Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Thomas C. Sammons; three brothers, James, Clyde, and Curtis Testerman; a sister, Lillie Belle Horn; and a great-grandchild.

Survivors include three sons, Thomas Sammons Jr. and Lowell Sammons, both of Inez, and John Oliver Sammons of Winchester; two daughters, Linda Harris of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Patricia Webb of Lovely; two brothers, John C. Testerman Jr. of Inez and Raymond Testerman of Columbus; a sister, Delcie Fitch of Inez; nine grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. today, Wednesday, March 26, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home Chapel, with John Taylor officiating. Burial will be in Sammons Family Cemetery, Inez, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

Dorothy Osborne 1931-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Dorothy Osborne, 82, of Paintsville, died Monday, March 17, at Highlands Regional Medical Center,

Prestonsburg.

Born July 16, 1931, she was the daughter of the late Thomas Jefferson and Nettie Boyd Tackett.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Walter Clay Osborne; a son, Gaillen Wayne Tackett; four brothers, Mack Fields, Bill Tackett, Harold Tackett and Floyd Tackett; and three sisters, Alice Litz, Lillian Woods and Ruth Marsh.

Survivors include two sons, Jackie Darrell Tackett and Patrick Clay Osborne; a step-daughter, Linda Deilkes of Cambridge City, Ind.; a sister, Deloris Castle of Nippa; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, March 20, at Jones-Preston Funeral Chapel, with James Kelly Caudill officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Denzil Ray "Bub" Martin 1974-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Denzil Ray "Bub" Martin, 39, of Drift, died Tuesday, March 18, in Floyd County.

Born July 12, 1974, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Denzil and Pauline Harris Martin.

Survivors include a sister, Tiffany Martin of Minnie.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 22, at Drift Presbyterian Church, with Tedd Shannon officiating, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

Wanda Walker 1930-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Wanda Walker, 83, of Inez, died Sunday, March 23, at Martin County Health Care Facility.

Born May 17, 1930, in Virginia, she was the daughter of the late Nancy Crum and J.A. Rimmer. She worked for Inez Shoprite, served on the Martin

County Fair Board, was a member of the Inez First Baptist Church, and Eastern Star, and participated in the Martin County Extension Office.

Survivors include her husband, Darle Walker; a daughter, Judy Ousley; a son, Jerry Walker; a brother; a sister; four grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 12:30 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 26, at Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home, with Paul Schmidt officiating, under direction of Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home, Inez.

Rowlena Bryant Willis 1940-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Rowlena Bryant Willis, 74, of Martin, died Monday, March 24, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born March 8, 1940, at Price, she was the daughter of the late Silas and Reecie Wheeler Bryant. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Richard S. Willis; three brothers, Gary Bryant, Lonnie Bryant and an infant; and two sisters, an infant, and Betty Bryant.

Survivors include a son, Stanley Willis of Dayton, Ohio; five brothers, Harold Bryant of Lorraine, Ohio, Larry Bryant, William L. Bryant, Lester Raymond Bryant and Randy Bryant, all of Martin; two sisters, Cheryle Lynn Davis of Albion, Mich., and Nelie Mullins of Price; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Friday, March 28, at Pilgrims Rest Old Regular Baptist Church, Price, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Visitation will be after 6 p.m., today, Wednesday, March 26, and all day Thursday, March 27, nightly services at 7 p.m. Burial will be in Little Cemetery, Price, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

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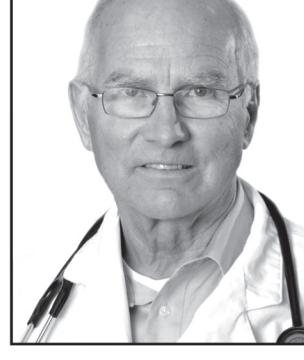
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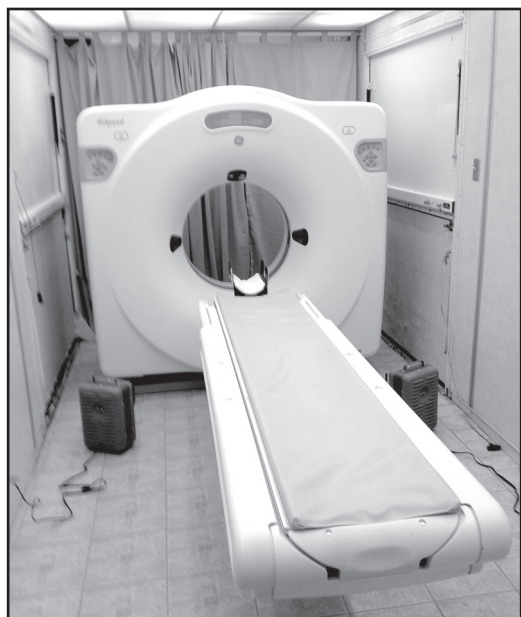
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NELSON T. SPARKS
MASTER COMMISSIONER
LAWRENCE CIRCUIT COURT (3/12, 3/19, 3/26 chg)

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C.A. NO. 12-CI-00231
CONSOLIDATED WITH C.A. NOS. 12-CI-00250 & 12-CI-00261
TAXCO, LLC and PLAINTIFFS, PILGRIM ENERGY, INC. VS: SHERI J. CHAFFIN A/K/A SHERI J. GILLIAM; AMY J. DARBY; WILLIAM P. SPARKS;
COMMON - WEALTH OF KENTUCKY and COUNTY OF LAWRENCE DEFENDANTS
Pursuant to the Default Judgment, Summary Judgment and Order of Sale rendered in the above-styled action on July 23, 2013 for the sum four thousand six hundred two dollars and forty four cents (\$4,602.44) and pursuant to the Summary Judgment rendered on August 12, 2013 for the sum of one hundred sixty-five dollars and twenty-one cents (\$165.21), plus interest and other costs and expenses, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the front door of the Lawrence County Courthouse in Louisa, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on Thursday, April 10, 2014, at or about the hour of 11:00 a.m. the following described property, lying and being in Lawrence County, Kentucky, to-wit:
The undivided interest of Sheri J. Chaffin a/k/a Sheri J. Gilliam, Amy J. Darby and William P. Sparks in the oil and natural gas only underlying the following described property: A 2.872368 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 72, Lease Number 20040550, Well Permit 96572, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.824082 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 1, Lease Number V0000700, Well Permit 88631, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.236486 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 12 Ratcliff, Lease Number V0001000, Well Permit 88450, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.823554 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 13 Atlas JV, Lease Number V0001100, Well Permit 88391, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.82244 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 14, Lease Number V0001200, Well Permit 88619, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.811764 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 17R, Lease Number V0001500, Well Permit 90303, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 1.061304 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 18, Lease Number V0001600, Well Permit 88451 in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.832612 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 19, Lease Number V0001700, Well Permit 88775, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.841374 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 42, Lease Number V0003700, Well Permit 90444, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.78599 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name ATR 64, Lease Number V0004600, Well Permit 91465 in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 3.042184 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name Bartrum 7, Lease Number V0005100, Well Permit 73944, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom. A 2.816386 percent interest in the undivided oil and natural gas estate underlying the lands covered by Lease Name Peters 2, Lease Number V0024600, Well Permit 73945, in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and the oil and natural gas produced therefrom, which may be more particularly described as follows:
All that certain tract of land situated in the Lawrence County of Lawrence State of Kentucky, and bounded as follows, to-wit:
On the North by lands of Meanders of Tug River;
On the East by lands of Jim Sammons and W.A. Sammon;
On the South by lands of Nile Bartram, Harrison Dillion & EE. Shannon, et al
On the West by lands of Millard Peters, Robert Ratcliff & Elijah McReynolds
Being the same land conveyed by deed dated 5-09-08, recorded in Deed Book 63, Page 524 deed dated 2-24-02, recorded in Deed Book 83, Page 526, deed dated April 22, 1950, recorded in Deed Book 76, Page 302, Lawrence County Clerk's Office.
See Oil and Gas Lease dated May 1, 1961, by and between Bill Dan Sparks, et al and Lloyd Sloan at Lease Book 52, Page 425, of record in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office.
For derivation of title see Affidavit of Descent of Bill Sparks dated March 31, 2005 recorded in Deed Book 275, Page 27 in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office.
TERMS OF SALE:
1. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiffs Taxco, LLC, or Pilgrim Energy, Inc, or their affiliates, successors or assigns, at the time of sale, shall either pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.
2. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiffs Taxco, LLC, or Pilgrim Energy, Inc., or their affiliates, successors or assigns, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment upon which execution may issue, if not paid at maturity; and a lien shall be retained upon the real property above described as additional security.
3. The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. or KRS 426.530.
4. The property shall be sold subject to any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property.
5. The property shall be sold subject to any assessments for public improvements levied against the property.
6. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all oil and gas property taxes or assessments upon the property for the calendar year 2014 and all subsequent years thereafter.
NELSON T. SPARKS
MASTER COMMISSIONER
LAWRENCE CIRCUIT COURT (3/26, 4/2, 4/9 chg)

PUBLIC NOTICE
Due to delinquent rent the following storage units will be sold on March 29, 2014 at Border's Self-Storage: C7, C13, C6, C20, I3, G9, B10. Also, at Pat's Storage, units 92, 39, 64 and 46. (3/26 chg)



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